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CHARGES ARE DENIED.

Markle & Company Reply in Case Before the Strike Commission.

ADMIT EVICTION OF EMPLOYEES.

Claim Docking Is Not Excessive, Size of Cars Unchanged, and That the Miners Have Been Fairly Treated.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—The answer of G. B. Markle & Company, independent coal operators, to the demands of the miners, has been made public here.

It was written by John Markle, managing partner of the firm. The statement is in part as follows: "The firm employs about 2,400 men, and many of its employees reside in Freeland and Hazleton. The lessees erected and own all the improvements upon the property, including breakers, stores, shops and tenement houses. From the time of my first connection with the business in 1880, there have always been a resident physician and assistant physician upon the property, until recently, with the exception of a short interval. The firm selected the head physician, who chose his assistants, and we collected 75 cents a month for the married men and 50 cents a month for the single men over 21, and the amount collected was paid over to the physician without charge or deduction therefor. This arrangement was not compulsory upon the men or families.

"In the early part of 1898 my wife employed, at her own expense, a trained nurse to look after the sick, and later, when this nurse retired, another nurse from St. Luke's hospital in Bethlehem, took her place, who introduced the system in district nursing in the borough of Jeddo, and in the neighboring villages. Stores for the sale of general merchandise and of miners' supplies have always been maintained upon the property, and have been and are an accommodation to the men and their families. The men have never been required to deal there. The men did not make any complaint of the method until April, 1902.

The answer denies excessive docking, unfair treatment and a change in the size of the cars.

Referring to the appointment of the commission, Mr. Markle says: "We had not been parties to the correspondence under which the anthracite strike commission was appointed and the strike declared off. We were not willing to permit our men to return to work without distinct understanding that they would abide by the award to be made by the commission. Notice was accordingly posted that those wishing to secure employment should call at the office. When this notice was posted we were informed that some of the men objected upon the ground that the men should be taken back in a body, and the rumor was started to the effect that they would be required to sign an iron-clad agreement, as a condition of going to work. Many of the notices were torn down, pickets were stationed in the neighborhood of the office and along the lines of road, to prevent the men from coming to the office, where they might have defined the truth and arranged for a resumption of work."

"Meanwhile I had been informed that the same men who had been making trouble during the strike were taking a leading part in intimidating and threatening. On the morning of Monday, Oct. 27, 1902, I ordered notice to give up possession of the house to be served upon 12 men who had been active in preventing the men from resuming work. No attempt was made to collect the arrears of rent, which had accrued during the strike, and the notice to quit having been served Oct. 27, judgment in ejectment was entered Nov. 5, and the parties evicted on Nov. 6, 1902."

The net earnings of the evicted men for the year 1901, according to the statement, varied from \$350 to \$1,000.

The answer further states that the father of the boy Chapple was killed as a result of his own negligence. He was not indebted to the firm at the time of his death. His earnings for the previous six months, from February to July, inclusive, amounted to \$330. Mrs. Chapple paid nothing on account of rent or coal. Henry Colt, one of the evicted men had always received good wages, Mr. Markle states. The answer asserts that his wife did not die in consequence of the eviction, which occurred Nov. 6, as she lived until December.

Sound Argument.

Jones—What did you think of my argument, Fogg?

Fogg—It was sound, very sound. (Jones delighted.) Nothing but sound, in fact.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Engineer Is Killed and Twenty-eight Persons Are Injured.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 5.—In a wreck on the Southern railway near Henryellen, 15 miles east of this city, one person was killed and 28 others slightly injured. For more than five hours no news of the wreck could be obtained on account of its isolated location, and as the relief train sent from this city was delayed fully that long, the anxiety was increased. The wreck occurred on a curve in the edge of a long cut and was caused by the spikes in the rails being cut by a preceding freight train, which had gone three miles with one of the wheels on the cross ties. Not knowing of the accident, the freight train crew had left no warning to the oncoming passenger train, and when the engine pulling the long train from Atlanta struck the insecure rail, it jumped the track and turned completely over, crushing Engineer White to death beneath it. The baggage car fell against the side of the cut and was partly saved from demolition. The combination express and mail car split in two, lengthwise, part of it falling against the wreckage of the baggage car. All of the passenger coaches were derailed but were kept almost in an upright position by the side of the wall of the high cut, and few of the passengers were seriously injured.

Rioting Is Feared.

La Guayra, Jan. 5.—The Dutch consul here saw the captain of the British cruiser Tribune and secured permission for a steamer of the Dutch line to call off LaGuayra Jan. 7 and take on board Dr. Van Leydon, the Dutch minister to Venezuela, who is in ill health. Half the clerks employed in the customs house here have been discharged. This means cutting off the revenue of 60 or more families. The LaGuayra customs house will be closed at once. About 800 stevedores are at present without employment and rioting is feared. The government will doubtless have to employ urgent measures to maintain quiet. The captain of the Tribune has sent a message to the prefect of this port commending the behavior of the Venezuelan authorities up to the present time, but saying he would hold him, the prefect, responsible for any injury to the persons or property of British, German and Italian subjects.

Test Naval Vessel.

Boston, Jan. 5.—After waiting for two days for good weather, the torpedo boat destroyer MacDonough, built by the Fore River Ship & Engine company of Quincy, Mass., was successfully speeded over a measured mile off Wood End, Provincetown. She exceeded her contract requirement of 28 knots, making one leg at a rate of 28.56. The best two runs over the mile averaged 28.02, which was the speed which gained her acceptance by the government board. This trial was so encouraging that at its conclusion it was decided to try another government test, that of an endurance run of one hour at a continued speed of 26 knots. This was attempted on the trip back to Boston, across Cape Cod bay, but after three-quarters of the time had been consumed a valve blew out and the trial was postponed until Tuesday.

Financial Panic in Caracas.

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, Jan. 5.—There was a financial panic at Caracas Saturday. A large number of small traders and private depositors went together to the office of the bank of Venezuela for the purpose of exchanging the bank's notes for silver. The bank refused to exchange more than \$20 worth of notes for any one person, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon closed its doors. The panic continued. Bills issued by the bank are now selling for 80 per cent of their face value. The leading firms at Caracas, notwithstanding the present situation, have presented no notes for redemption, as they are all interested in supporting the bank.

Noted Chemist Dead.

Somerville, Mass., Jan. 5.—Professor Charles J. Bell, for some time professor of chemistry in the University of Minnesota, died from Bright's disease at the residence of his brother, Dr. William A. Bell. He was professor of chemistry in Pennsylvania state college for a time. Later he accepted a similar position in the University of Minnesota.

No Danger of Flood.

Pittsburg, Jan. 5.—Danger of a flood stage in the rivers here has passed for the present. While the Ohio, at Davis' island dam registered 16.2 feet and rising slowly, reports from head-water points show the waters either stationary or falling. The Ohio is not expected to go higher than 17 feet.

Flames at Lakeside.

Lakeside, O., Jan. 5.—Fire destroyed the hotel here, owned by John Glass. Loss, \$10,000.

DANGER OF LADRONES.

Depressed Conditions Are Calculated to Cause Outlawry.

GOVERNOR TAFT FILES REPORT.

Year of Hard Work Ahead of the Philippine Commission to Meet Difficulties Arising in the Archipelago.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The annual report of the Philippine commission and a separate report by Governor W. H. Taft, made public at the war department, gives a review of the results of the year's work of the commission and contains recommendations for legislative action by congress deemed essential to the welfare of the islands.

After reciting a history of the establishment of civil government throughout the various provinces, Governor Taft in his report says it has not been definitely determined what shall be done with respect to Mindanao, where, he says, hostility to the Americans does not extend beyond the Lake Moros. The Moros, he says, do not understand popular government and do not desire it, preferring control by datos.

Governor Taft tells of the conditions that have made it necessary for the islands to purchase about \$15,000,000 worth of food on which to live, and of the effects war has had upon agriculture, almost the only source of wealth in the islands. The greatest blow to agriculture, he says, is the destruction of about 90 per cent of the water buffalo, on which the cultivation of rice is almost wholly dependent.

After speaking of the ravages of Asiatic cholera, Governor Taft says: "The bane of Philippine civilization in the past was ladronism, and the present conditions are most favorable for its growth and maintenance. It is not certain whether in the depressed state of agriculture, with the temptations to ladronism, that the constabulary will be able without the assistance of the military to stamp it out."

Since the civil government was completely established in the Philippine provinces throughout the archipelago in July of last year the governor says an American soldier has not been called on once to fire a gun, the country having been policed by the constabulary, a force of five or six thousand men.

"It may be," said the governor, "that as the conditions grow worse for they are likely to do so before they grow better—it will be necessary in a province like Cavite, where ladronism seems inbred in the people, to proclaim martial law, and even to call in the militia to finally suppress it, but it is still hoped this may be avoided."

The ladrones of Iloilo are characterized as an organized band of cattle thieves. They are being rapidly stamped out. Governor Taft says that unless Carabao can be replaced or other methods of agriculture substituted which will prevent these animals being indispensable hereafter the future for several years has a gloomy outlook.

The depressed condition of agriculture and the tendency to ladronism in the Tagalog and in some of the Visayan provinces does not apply to those provinces where hemp is the chief product.

Throughout the rice and Tagalog provinces, however, we must expect disturbances from time to time from ladrones and their assistants, the Katipunan societies. On the whole there is before us a year of the hardest kind of work."

Governor Taft commends to the commission the benefits that might accrue from the establishment in the islands of postal savings banks. Governor Taft tells of the recently organized independent Filipino Catholic church and says the commission has stated that it would take no part in religious controversies.

Governor Taft says the figures show that for the year ended June 30, 1902, the imports, exclusive of quartermasters' stores, of all goods were \$41,000,000, while the exports were about \$27,000,000. He says capital has seemed to be timid in coming to the Philippines.

Touching on the organization of labor unions the governor says that if properly directed the movement may give to the laboring classes a sense of the dignity of labor and of their independence. He regards the objection made by the Filipinos to the unlimited introduction of Chinese into the islands to be logical and justified.

Has Power to Act.

Cincinnati, Jan. 5.—Chairman Herr-

man of the National Baseball league peace committee, made the positive statement that his committee had full power to act in negotiating for peace with the American league. Herrman protested against the construction which President Ban Johnson placed on his letter of last Friday.

SOON TO BE OPENED.

First Wireless Telegraph Station on United States Soil.

New York, Jan. 5. — "Greetings to your royal highness, from faithful subject.—Marconi." With a force of millions of volts, the largest voltage ever yet obtained in an electrical current, the above message will be flashed through the air to King Victor Emanuel of Italy from the new Marconi station at South Wellfleet, Mass. next week, possibly Tuesday or Wednesday. Marconi himself will be present, and will personally ply the taper. This message will mark the formal opening of the first wireless telegraph station on the soil of the United States. The plant has been tested and found all right. The apparatus will throw a spark as big as a man's fist and a foot long. The sending of a message sounds like the discharge of a rapid fire gun.

Crop Conditions.

Washington, Jan. 5. — The weather bureau's monthly summary of crop conditions is as follows: In the principal winter wheat states the month averaged cold, with more than the usual amount of precipitation. The temperature conditions were, however, not unfavorable to winter wheat until the last decade, when the states of the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys experienced temperatures ranging from zero to 28 degrees below. During this period the Ohio valley states were generally well protected with snow covering, but in the central Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys the crop was exposed. Only slight damage, however, seems to have resulted, and at the close of the month the crop appears to be very promising. Complaints of injury by fly are not extensive and are largely confined to the Ohio valley.

Young Men's Christian Association.

New York, Jan. 5. — The American Young Men's Christian association reports a prosperous year, with especially notable growth in the south and northwest and among railroad men. The membership list is now more than 300,000, and the number of associations over 1,600. There are now 350 buildings owned, costing over \$24,000,000, and the amount that appears on the books for 1902 as available and expended is \$12,000,000. The number of associations throughout the world is 7,507, with 620,000 members, owning 737 buildings, valued at over \$62,000,000.

Active Volcanoes.

Corouto, Nicaragua, Dec. 15, via San Francisco, Jan. 5. — The volcano of Santiago, about eight miles from Granada, is shooting out fire and at night illuminates the heavens for many miles around. Monotumbo, near the seacoast, is belching forth smoke. Isalco, in Salvador, shoots forth smoke and lava every half hour, and at night forms a brilliant spectacle as its molten lava runs down the mountain side in a stream of fire. The seacoast and ocean for many miles is strewn with pumice stone from the volcano Santa Maria.

Two Arrested.

Quincy, Ills., Jan. 5. — Two of the five men who dynamited the First National bank of Abingdon and stole about \$4,800 were arrested here on the arrival of the fast mail on the Burlington from Galesburg. Both men carried enormous pistols and tried to draw them on the officers who made the arrest, but were overpowered and disarmed. The captured men gave the names of Edward Raymond and J. A. Haines. Each man had a grip filled with loose money.

Paymaster Held Up.

Russey, Ia., Jan. 5.—W. R. Sullivan, paymaster for Bussey coal mine, near this place, was held up by three robbers and robbed of \$1,800. After the robbers had obtained the money Sullivan secured a shotgun and began firing at them. One of the men was seriously wounded, being shot in the face and arm. He was captured and taken to Knoxville for treatment. He refuses to give his name. The other two robbers escaped with the money.

Spanish Ship Ashore.

New York, Jan. 5. — The Spanish ship Remedios Pascual, Captain Morata, from Buenos Ayres Oct. 18 for New York, with a cargo of hides, went ashore near Ship Bottom lifesaving station, N. J. It is one-third full of water. There was a crew of 21 on board, all of whom were taken off by the lifesaving crew.

Crestline, O., Jan. 5.—Mrs. C. F. Barnes was nearly roasted alive in gasoline explosion. This is the second fatal gasoline explosion here within a week, women being the victims.

DEBATE IS CONTINUED.

Senator Nelson Begins His Speech on Bill For Statehood.

WORK FOR THE SESSION OUTLINED.

Cuban Treaty, Philippine Currency and Statehood Measure Are the Most Important Measures to Be Considered.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Many of the senators who left Washington for the Christmas holidays are still absent and when business was resumed at noon there was not a very full attendance. Before the week is far advanced, however, the senate again will be in regular working order and there will be little cessation of work before the fourth of March. The prediction is very general that the remainder of the session will be exceedingly busy because of the number of important questions which will be pressed for consideration before final adjournment.

During the present week, and probably for some time to come, the omnibus statehood bill will be the chief topic of discussion on the floor, but under the unanimous agreement by which the bill was made the unfinished business it cannot be taken up any day before 2 o'clock. It is the purpose of the friends of the bill to press its consideration and not to allow the bill to be sidetracked unless under very great pressure. The present purpose is to give way only for appropriation bills, but there are now no appropriation bills on the senate calendar. It is, however, the purpose of the senatorial leaders who oppose the statehood bill to press appropriation bills to the front as rapidly as possible. Senate committee on appropriations immediately will take up the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and it will be reported to the senate as soon as possible. It is a bill which demands considerable investigation and it is not probable that it will reach the senate much before the middle of the month. When it is reported the committee will seek to secure its immediate consideration.

The debate on the statehood bill has been resumed. Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, being the first speaker on the list. He is a member of the committee on territories and in addition to his opposition to the admission of the territories of New Mexico and Arizona, he is a staunch advocate of the bill for the admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one state. His carefully prepared speech probably will require the greater part of two days. Senator Burnham will be heard next.

Other Republican senators have agreed to speak in opposition to the bill and it is now estimated that there will be no fewer than 15 anti-statehood speeches before consideration of the measure is concluded. Some speeches in support of the bill are promised but the indications are somewhat against delivery of any of them during the present week, though it is possible that Senator Foraker, who is an earnest advocate of the omnibus bill, may be heard some time within the next few days.

The time of the senate each day before 2 o'clock will be earnestly contested for, among the measures seeking early attention being the militia bill, the immigration bill, the eight-hour government labor bill and the Philippine currency bill. There is a disposition to amend the immigration bill. The supporters of this measure do not yet seem inclined to concede the changes demanded. Senator Lodge as chairman of the committee on Philippines has given voice that he will press the currency bill as rapidly as possible. Senator McComas will urge consideration of the eight-hour bill.

The committee on foreign relations, it is expected, will take up the Cuban treaty at its meeting this week, but it is doubtful whether it will be reported during the week. Senator Culom says that he will ask the senate to give the treaty its attention as early a date as practicable if it shall be reported.

A joint resolution has been introduced by Senator Morgan directing the executive department to cease negotiations with the government of Colombia for right of way for an isthmian canal and to close agreements with Costa Rica and Nicaragua for the construction of a canal by the Nicaragua route.

Atlantic Highlands, N. J., Jan. 5.—The Portland hotel, the largest and finest structure here, was destroyed by fire. Burning embers were carried a long distance, endangering the business section of the town, but a heavy rain prevented further spread. Estimated loss \$50,000, insurance \$25,000.

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 Proprietors.

One month..... 25 Three months..... 75
 Six months.....\$1 50 One year.....\$3 00

MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 1903.

THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]

State of weather.....Cloudy
 Highest temperature.....41
 Lowest temperature.....28
 Mean temperature.....34.5
 Wind direction.....Northerly
 Precipitation (inches) rain or snow, melted.....T.
 Previously reported for January.....79
 Total for January to date.....79
 January 5th, 9:25 a. m.—Snow and slightly colder to night. Tuesday fair.

PRESIDENT INGALLS, of the Big Four railroad, speaks to the point when he writes that franchise taxation is one of the fairest ways of raising revenues on earth. As a practical railroad manager he has the courage to say that of course "corporations will object to paying taxes, as everybody does, but nevertheless it is right and proper. Those who have the protection of the State should bear their share of its burdens."

SENATOR HOAR'S bill to regulate trusts has been made public, and if he can just get it through Congress it will furnish means for fighting the combines. The measure provides for the greatest possible publicity and gives the Attorney General the right to inspect the books of corporations. Corporations are forbidden to crush competition by selling below cost. Penalties of fine and imprisonment are provided for the first two violations of the act. A corporation twice convicted and which persists in violating the law may, on the third conviction, be dissolved by injunction from a Federal court.

A STRONG KICK.

Government Official Says Price of Beef Should Come Down.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—"Public indignation has been thoroughly aroused by the unwarranted prices charged at this time for meat," said Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Bingham to-day. "When there was a scarcity of corn and cattle ruled at high prices there was some excuse for the price demanded for meat, but now the price of cattle has been greatly reduced and there is no good reason why the price of meat should not be correspondingly reduced.

"The small supply of cattle in Chicago last summer sent prices up until they reached the highest figures in twenty years. Last month the glut in the cattle market in Chicago caused prices to recede to the lowest recently reached. Cattle were sold for \$4 75 to \$5.25 in the month of December that would have brought \$8 65 to \$8 75 at the highest time of the year.

"In view of the fact that the reports indicate a large supply of cattle on hand in Chicago and other markets and that the wholesale price of cattle has been reduced very greatly, and also that the large packers of Chicago have reduced the price, it seems to me a corresponding reduction should be shown in the retail prices.

"If the people will waken to the situation and assert their rights, now that there is plenty of corn and no valid excuse for fancy prices, relief will, I believe, promptly follow."

POYNTZ BROS. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whiskey \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Myra Duke is the guest of Miss Anna Pearce, of Lexington.

—Miss Reynolds, of Fern Leaf, is the guest of Miss Marian Wormald.

—Miss Della Bacon left Saturday to resume her studies at Hamilton College, Lexington.

—Mrs. Carroll Marshall arrived Sunday evening to visit her father, Mr. James H. Hall.

—Mrs. John T. Wilson and Miss Mamie Scott have gone to Hot Springs, Ark., to spend a few weeks.

—Rev. Mr. Morro, of Tollesboro, spent last night in Maysville and left this morning for Lexington.

—Mrs. J. W. Fitzgerald and children visited her mother, Mrs. Harbeson, of Augusta, the past week.

—Drs. R. E. and Lula C. Markham arrived home Saturday after a visit at their old home at Russellville, Ky.

—The Misses Johnson, of Mt. Sterling, left for home Saturday after spending several days here, guests of Miss Roberta Cox.

—Messrs. Lovel Samuel, Keith Adamson and Lee Browning left Saturday to resume their studies at colleges in Central Kentucky.

—Congressman James N. Kehoe left at noon for Frankfort and after attending to some business there he will proceed to Washington City.

You Seldom Catch Us

Warming over an advertisement for we want our ads as newsy as telegraphic tidings, but we can't risk the possibility that the two important matters we last advertised should escape any one's attention. So we'll tell the story again. All our dress goods has been reduced one-half. That statement is very bold, almost meaningless until you fit the prices to the goods. Then you will realize what a bargain, supported by quality really means.

\$1.50 Dress Goods \$1.15—Black and colors, including ziblenes, etamines, broadcloths, twine cloths, colines.
 \$1.25 Dress Goods \$1—Black and colors, including all of the above weaves, also whipcords, serges and chevots.
 \$1 Dress Goods 75c—Black and colors, 20 different weaves.
 75c. Dress Goods 59c—Black and colors, including granites, armures, serges, thibets, venetians.
 50c. Dress Goods 35c.—Black and colors, including whipcords, serges, mohairs, henriettas, cashmere.

Extra Values

In Women's Winter Coats. You may buy a \$12 Jacket for \$6 or a \$7 Jacket for \$3.50 to-day. There are finer Jackets too at correspondingly great reductions. Quality is the test of cheapness and we guarantee you will say these are cheap. Materials, kersey, melton, frieze. Colors, castor, black, brown, tan and blue. Styles, Monte Carlos, box coats, Norfolks, blouses and semi-fitting.

The Furs---A Fourth Off.

It is our annual resolute clear out of every fur piece—from the pretty neck scarf to the sumptuous boa. Furs at present prices are a wise investment. Some of the things offered.
 \$2.50 SCARFS \$1.25. \$ 8 50 SCARFS \$4 25.
 \$5.00 SCARFS \$2.50. \$10.00 SCARFS \$5.00.

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LOVEL'S Holiday Special!

Always in the lead—Up-to-date in everything—Immense stock, greatest variety, best goods and lowest prices.

CANDIES, 6c. Up; Best Mixed NUTS, 12 1-2c.

FIREWORKS at Lowest Prices Ever Known!

4 ball Roman Candles..... 4c per dozen 12 ball Roman Candles.....20c per dozen
 6 ball Roman Candles..... 8c per dozen 15 ball Roman Candles.....30c per dozen
 8 ball Roman Candles.....10c per dozen 20 ball Roman Candles.....40c per dozen
 10 ball Roman Candles.....12c per dozen And the best goods made.

Also the loudest Cannon Crackers, from three-inch up to twelve-inch; Torpedoes, the best made at the lowest prices. I intend to retail all these goods at lowest jobbers' prices.

Nice Things to Eat--No End to Them!

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Raisins, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, Dried Peaches, Prunes, Apricots, Buckwheat Flour, Pancake Flour, Whole Wheat Flour, Graham Flour, Maple Syrup, Preserves and Jellies of all kinds, Plum Pudding, Mince Meat, Catsups, Oyster Cocktail Sauce, Pickles, Canned Goods of all kinds in immense quantities, Cereals of all kinds, finest New Crop Open Kettle Molasses, Coffee, green and roasted, finest Teas; always headquarters for Poultry, Game, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries, old Country Cured Hams, finest Leaf Lard, and everything good to eat of the very best. My Blended Coffee is selected and bought green, and is roasted according to my directions, and is always fresh; my 15c, 20c and 25c grades are as good as others sell at 20c, 25c and 30c, and often better. My Perfection Flour is the finest that can be made by the latest improved machinery out of selected wheat and always gives satisfaction. Don't buy it unless you want the best. I want country people to come to my store when in our city; you are always welcome. Goods delivered to all parts of the city free of charge. Plymouth Rock Oysters the best.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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PROF ASBURY WEDS.

Former Maysville Teacher Married New Year's Day at Marion, Illinois.

Cards were received Saturday by the groom's friends in Maysville announcing the marriage of Prof. J. W. Asbury at Marion, Ill., his bride being Miss Elzada Baker, daughter of Dr. and Mis. A. P. Baker, of that city. The wedding took place New Year's Day.

Prof. Asbury was formerly a teacher in Maysville's schools, but has been Principal of the Marion High School the last few years. A host of friends throughout the city and county extend congratulations and good wishes.

Prof. and Mrs. Asbury will be at home at Marion after Jan. 5th.

River News.

Gould and Virginia due down this evening. Stanley up to-night.

The R. P. Gilham left a barge of coal at the Wall street landing Saturday.

Another rise at headwaters and a nice shipment of coal was started from Pittsburg Sunday.

Captain Ira B. Huntington has been appointed traveling freight agent for the Pittsburg and Cincinnati packets—Queen City, Virginia and Keystone State.

Bad Money in Augusta.

AUGUSTA, Ky., Jan. 2.—This city is overrun with counterfeit money. The spurious coins run from a dollar down to ten cents. A lot of the stuff was worked off on merchants during the holiday trade. It is thought the coin is made here in Augusta.

Week of Prayer Services.

The union week of prayer services will begin to-night at the Central Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Dr. Barbour leader. The subject, "Prayer For a Nobler Manifestation of the Church's Unity." The public cordially invited.

The Harrodsburg correspondent of the Courier-Journal has the following in reference to a former Washington minister: "The Rev. M. Gano Buckner, of the Christian Church, came here to preach a little over a year ago, and when the church was carrying a heavy debt, which was then rapidly accumulating. Since his pastorate began the membership has greatly increased, and the debt has been paid. The church begins the New Year under favorable circumstances and owing not a dollar."

Miss Dunlap Acquitted. Aledo, Ills., Jan. 5.—Miss Tona Dunlap, on trial for the murder of Allie Dool, was acquitted by the jury.

LEMON JUICE

Said to Destroy Typhoid Fever Germs—Result of Experiments at Chicago.

Reports from the Chicago Board of Health state that after three days of experimentation it has been discovered that lemon juice will destroy typhoid fever germs in water. It is said that one-half a tablespoonful of the juice to a glass of water is a good combination, and that trials have demonstrated it to be certain death to every germ.

In speaking of the discovery, Dr. D. J. Healey said that while he had not tried the experiment, he thought that the report was true. He said that it has been known for some time that typhoid fever germs thrive in an alkaline solution, and that acid of any kind was destructive to them. In the treatment of typhoid fever patients, diluted hydrochloric acid is used. He thought that the acid would serve the same purpose.

Lemon juice is preferable to be used in drinking water because of its palatableness.

If this discovery be true, by using this simple precaution, it is quite possible to avert the dread disease that at certain periods of the year proves so fatal, in some sections of the country.

D. Hechinger & Co.

It does look as if the people have been waiting for our cut price sale.

Whilst at this season of the year most merchants reconcile themselves to just what happens to come along, we take an aggressive stand and hold out inducements that will make people buy despite the lateness of the winter. The public recognizes the values we give them in our Stein Bloch, Adler Bros. and Garson Meyer Clothing, all of which are now sold at 20 per cent. off from the regular price, and this accounts for the phenomenal business we are now having.

If interested in a Suit or Overcoat for yourself or boy look in every other clothing house in town before you come to us. It will not take you long to find out the cause of our house being constantly crowded with buyers.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

"This One Thing We Do,"

SELL CLOTHING,

And do it so well that we are growing. Overcoats sold at reasonable prices. Left during the holiday rush one sealskin muff, ladies' fine umbrella and pocketbook. Please call and get.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE. We are authorized to announce FRANK P. O'DONNELL as a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAMES P. HARBESON a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the Democratic convention at Vanceburg February 25, 1903.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE. We are authorized to announce JOSEPH F. WALTON, of Germantown, as a candidate for Representative in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK. We are authorized to announce ISAAC WOODWARD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WANTED.

FOR SALE—At public auction, Jan. 10th, a lot of household and kitchen furniture, including a \$25 "Twentieth Century" heating stove. Also a nice square piano. Stove used only about two months. Sale to take place on premises at 719 Forest avenue at 2 p. m. House for rent. ELMER WHEELER. 1-dtd

LOST.

LOST—A sealskin muff. Liberal reward for return of same to this office or No. 22 East Third street. 3-dst

LOST—On Dec. 27th a pointer dog answering to the name of "Joe." He is of dark liver color with white stripe running from collar and between his legs. Liberal reward will be given for any information leading to his recovery. H. M. YANCEY, Mayslick, Ky. 1-dst

AT HOME,

CLAUDE POLLITT,
 Dentist.

All Work Guaranteed. No 23½ West Second street, Maysville, Ky.

DR. ANNA B. HEWINS,

DENTIST,

No. 321 Limestone Street, Maysville, Ky.

Insurance!

For fire and tornado insurance call on W. HOLTOM KEY, successor to W. W. Baldwin & Co., Court street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A one-story brick house with three rooms and kitchen on East Front street, Fifth ward. Apply to J. F. NICHOLSON, No. 218 Limestone street. 19-dtd

THE BEE HIVE

Vote For the Books When Paying Your Bills.

The Laggards!

So might most merchants call the two months of January and February, but orders at headquarters in this store require that every person that is employed by this firm must push, strive and strain every nerve to make these two months show as large sales as any other month. From the monetary standpoint of our pockets we too might call these two months "The Laggards." But the deck must be cleared and cleared as it was never cleared before, as we sail into a new season on March first. On Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week we shall place before you through the papers of Maysville sales that are of extraordinary value. We shall give to our customers opportunities such as seldom been their lot to fall heir too. Be on the alert for the riser gets the cream.

FIRST SALE

BABY CAPS!

White and colored, marked in plain figures, yours now AT ONE-HALF PRICE. 29c. silk-like Caps for 15c.; 79c. Caps for 39c.; 98c. Caps for 49c.; \$1.39 Caps for 69c.; \$1.69 Caps for 85c.; \$1.89 Caps for 95c.; 49c. Caps for 25c.; 89c. Caps for 45c.; \$1.25 Caps for 63c.; \$1.49 Caps for 75c.; \$1.75 Caps for 87c.; \$2.98 Caps for \$1.49; \$3.25 for \$1.63.

MERZ BROS

PARIS GETS IT.

Republican Convention to Nominate Railroad Commissioner to be Held in That City May 6th.

The Republican Executive Committee of the Third Kentucky railroad district met at Lexington Saturday and directed that the convention to nominate a candidate should be held at Paris on May 6th at 2 o'clock p. m., and it was further directed that all county conventions in the district should be held at their respective court houses on Saturday, May 2nd, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to the convention at Paris.

Prior to the business session, says the Leader, the various candidates for the Republican nomination for Railroad Commissioner were permitted to address the meeting presenting their respective claims and the representatives of the different localities desiring the convention were also heard. R. R. Perry spoke for Winchester; S. P. Stamper presented the claims of Beattyville, and Hal Curran spoke for Maysville. Nobody represented Paris.

Mr. Curran received every consideration and courtesy at the hands of the committee, and it is said the only thing that prevented Maysville from securing the convention was the fact that one of the candidates, Mr. Chas. L. Gray, hails from Augusta, and the committee feared the selection of this city would be favoring him too greatly.

In Social Circles.

Miss Marian Wormald entertained handsomely Saturday afternoon with a reception in honor of her guest, Miss Reynolds.

New currants, citron, raisins—Calhoun's.

Monthly meeting of the City Council to-night.

Henry Smith and Minnie Bell, colored, were married Saturday.

The city schools resumed this morning after the Christmas vacation of two weeks.

P. E. Cross and wife have sold their property in Dover to Mrs. Henry Patton for \$225 cash.

Mr. Lee Hauke, now in Denver, favors the BULLETIN with a copy of the New Year's edition of the Denver Post.

Editor Davis is still confined to his home with a severe cold. He had a narrow escape from an attack of pneumonia.

The total assessment for Nicholas County for the year 1903 is \$3,863,060. This is an increase of over 1902 of \$17,753.

Mr. Joseph Kenny, formerly of this city, is to be a member of a syndicate to build a traction road from Kokomo to Wabash, Ind., via Converse, where Mr. Kenny now resides.

Between now and the fifteenth day of this month the Richmond Locomotive Works will deliver to the C. and O. railroad twenty-five new engines. They will be known as the "G.-7" engines, and will be somewhat larger than the largest now in use, known as "G.-6." The difference will be in the size of the fire-box and cylinders, the larger size in the new machines giving them more steam-using power. In addition to the twenty-five engines about to be received the road has contracts for fifty more of the same kind, twenty-five to be delivered Oct. 1st, and twenty-five by Nov. 30th, 1903. Half of these are to be from the Baldwin works and half from the Richmond.

THE FALSE BECKHAM.

Maysvillian Has an Unpleasant Experience Down in Florida Last Week.

Press dispatches from Miami, Fla., last week told of the arrest of a man at that point who had registered at one of the hotels as Governor Beckham. The individual in question had palmed himself off at the hotel as Kentucky's handsome young Governor, but was later arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses. The accused, who is still in custody, is thought to be a member of a prominent Tennessee family.

It is not generally known that Mr. Charles Daly, of this city, was given some unpleasant notoriety in connection with the affair. Mr. Daly had just returned to Miami from a trip to the Bahama Islands, and had registered at the Hotel Biscayne. In some way a reporter of the Miami News got Mr. Daly mixed up with the fellow who later registered at another hotel as "J. F. C. Beckham" and the News published Mr. Daly as the fellow who was trying to palm himself off as Kentucky's Governor. The reporter soon discovered his mistake, and has done all he could to correct the mistake and atone for the injustice done Mr. Daly.

The Ripley Commercial Club pays \$360 a year for free ferrage on each stock sale day.

Dolus Edwards, aged nine years, daughter of John Edwards, of Wedonia, died Dec. 30th.

The old reliable Mason County Building and Saving Association. Books are now open for subscription to the thirty-fourth series. Apply to T. M. Russell, Secretary, or R. K. Hoeflich, Treasurer.

Rev. W. R. Cady preached at the Christian Church last evening, a very large audience greeting him. His discourse was an interesting and instructive one. He impressed all with his zeal and earnestness.

O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Nos. 120 and 122 Market street, Maysville, Ky., sell Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, direct from the distillery, by the quart, gallon or barrel; the finest in the State; guaranteed pure and as represented as to age. THE H. E. POGUE DISTILLERY CO.

It is said the new superintendent of the C. G. and P. would not accept the position until he was promised \$50,000 and the services of 100 men to put the track in first-class condition between Georgetown and Cincinnati. This was granted and the road will be ballasted with crushed stone, the track leveled, and the time will be shortened between terminal points to one hour and a half.

Mr. Charles Collins met with a painful accident Saturday night while assisting his father Mr. Gilbert Collins in transferring the trunks of the "Maloney's Wedding Day" Company to the C. and O. station. He was seated on top of the trunks, when the wagon struck an obstruction near Daulton's stable throwing him off and dislocating one of his elbows. His arm was also badly sprained and one of his hips bruised.

BUY CANDIES

sometimes asked for candies of inferior grade. Our confections are invariably of the first quality. That's most important. The next thing to consider is the cost. Prices here are the lowest possible consistent with pure goods. Freshly-baked Cakes of our own make, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Figs, Dates and other fruit for the holidays. Nuts of all sorts—strictly fresh stock of the past season's growth—no old goods on hand. Elegant assortment of fancy Sugar Toys and other Candies for Christmas tree decoration. In fact, our place is the recognized store-house of Christmas good things. If there is anything needed to bring "good cheer" to the yuletide hearthstone, you will find it at TRAXEL'S.

AT TRAXEL'S

OF COURSE!

SHOP-WORN

Blank Books

On Our Cheap Counter.

Overstock of Ink will sell at 50c. and 60c. per quart.
Envelopes at \$1 per 1000.
Job prices on Letterheads and Billheads.
Bargains in Ping Pong. Cut prices.

J. T. Kackley & Co.

THE RACKET

We desire to thank our friends who have so liberally patronized us throughout the past year, and we would remind you that with the advent of the new year, it shall be our earnest endeavor to meet your wants in everything which our very miscellaneous stock embraces.

The Right Goods at the Right Prices

will be our motto for 1903. See some of our prices:
Gloves and Mittens 10c to \$1 per pair.
Lamps, both plain and fancy, 25c to \$1.25.
Good serviceable Table Cutlery 48c to \$1.20 per set.
Ladies' and Gents' Underwear 25c up.
Hammers and Hatchets 10c to 45c.
Saws, Braces and Bits, Files and Pocket Rules, at lowest prices.
Granite and Tinware, and a nice line of Table Ware, including some bargains in Dinner Sets. Everything cheap at The Racket.

L. H. YOUNG & CO.,

48 West Second Street.

MRS. MATTIE TABB SCOTT.

A Native of Mason Died Friday at Her Home at Galveston, Texas.

News has been received by relatives of the death last Friday at her home in Galveston, Tex., of Mrs. Mattie Tabb Scott.

Mrs. Scott was a niece of Mrs. W. W. Baldwin, of "Auvergne," and leaves many other relatives in this county. She was born at Dover, and was a daughter of Henry Tabb, Mrs. Baldwin's oldest brother.

"Old Honesty" rye whisky 50 cents quart at M. C. Russell Co.'s.

Auditor's Agent A. G. Secrest, of Nicholas County, will file six or eight suits for back taxes in that county that will reach something near \$200,000.

Postmaster Mathews has placed a machine in his office for back-stamping and cancelling. It does the work very much faster than could be done by hand, thus enabling the patrons of the office to receive their mail at the earliest possible moment after its arrival.

If you want to purchase the purest and best goods on earth go to G. W. Rogers & Co., 127 Market street, where you will find old Bourbon and rye whisky, apple and peach brandy, California brandy, malt gin, California port, sherry and Maderia, K. I. sweet Catawba and dry Catawba wines &c. We guarantee all of our goods to be strictly pure.

Fine Candies

From the largest manufacturers in the country. Sold direct to the trade. Look at the prices:

Cream Chocolate drops 12½c. pound.
Finest Cocoa Bon Bons 15c. pound.
Pure Stick Candy 7½c. pound.
Cream Sugared Caramels 15c. a pound.
Chocolate Caramels 12½c. pound.
Peerless Mixed, hand-made, 9c. pound.
Queen Creams, soft centers, 15c. pound.
Assorted Caramels, 10c. a pound.
Cottage Mixture, 7½c. a pound.
Ice Cream Kisses, 12½c. pound.
Raspberry fruits, 15c. pound.
Florida Oranges, 15, 20, 25, 30c. dozen.
Apples, all kinds, 30 and 35c. peck.

LANGDON-CREASY CO.

HEATERS!

SPECIAL PRICES.

W. F. POWER'S.

STRAYED.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From my farm near Fern Leaf, about a week ago, a two-year-old spotted steer. Reward for information leading to its recovery. HENRY NORRIS, Fern Leaf, Ky.

A Silent Man

Often gains a reputation for wisdom, while the talkative fellow is set down as a blower. The merchant who succeeds, however, is usually the one who has a good thing and makes a noise about it.

We've the Shoe Line

To get enthusiastic over, and our aim is to give you better goods than you ever bought in Maysville for the same money. We want your permanent trade, and don't ask it on faith, but merit. We sell Shoes that give satisfaction and this is the secret of our business growth.

Barkley Cash Shoe Company!

...GO TO...

The New York Store!

FOR BARGAINS

No. 8243 wins the Doll. If this number is not presented within thirty days the Doll will be drawn for again, so save your tickets.

HAYS & CO.

NEW YORK STORE



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ALL THE
STANDARD MAKES
OF THE WORLD'S BEST
SHOTGUNS and
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Loaded and empty Shells; Black and
Smokeless Powder.

**Farmers'
and Builders' Hardware!**

All kinds of Tools, Cutlery and Skates
at satisfactory prices.

**Frank Owens
Hardware Co.**

SHANNON NO. 130.

List of Officers Chosen By the New K. of P.
Lodge Instituted Friday.

The new Knights of Pythias lodge at
Shannon was instituted last Friday, and
will be known as Shannon No. 130.
The work was done by the wide-awake
Germantown Lodge, with Hon. S. D.
Rigdon as officer in charge. The visitors
were royally entertained during their
stay at Shannon, the reputation of that
section for true hospitality being fully
sustained. The lodge starts out with a
good membership, embracing leading citi-
zens of the community. There are four
Past Chancellors among the members,—
Robert Stevenson, J. W. Sullivan, A. H.
Prather and J. E. Gaunt. The following
is a list of the officers:

C. C.—George Rhodes.
V. C.—Charles Manly.
Prelate—A. H. Prather.
M. of W.—John Hitt.
K. of R. and S.—R. T. Watson.
M. of E.—P. W. Prather.
M. of F.—C. F. Clary.
M. at A.—John W. Sullivan.
I. G.—Wm. Littleton.
O. G.—John Tuel.

Father Mathews' Total Abstinence Society.

The Father Mathews' Total Abstinence
Society elected these officers for ensuing
six months:

President—Patrick Breen.
Vice President—Robt. Brown.
Treasurer—John Kane.
Recording Secretary—D. L. Desmond.
Financial Secretary—Tom W. Breen.
G. M.—John McCarthy.
Sentinel—James Guildea.
Supervisors—John O'Donnell, John Mahoney,
John Moran.

The County Board of Tax Supervisors
convened this morning.

License Notice.

All licenses expire on December 31st and be-
come due on January 1st of each year as follows,
with penalty attached for non-compliance:

Dogs.....	\$ 1 00
Auctioneers.....	5 00
Billiard, Pool and Pigeon-hole Tables.....	25 00
Bowling and Tenpin Alleys.....	25 00
Shooting Gallery.....	100 00
Life and Fire Insurance Agents.....	30 00
Plate Glass and Accident Insurance Agents.....	20 00
Tornado Insurance Agents.....	10 00
Circus and Menageries, per day.....	25 00
Lectures, Operas, Concerts and Plays.....	3 00
Opera Houses.....	100 00
Public Dance-houses, per year.....	20 00
Dances, per night.....	5 00
Skating Rinks, Merry-go-rounds, &c., per day.....	2 00
Wholesale Liquor De-lets.....	50 00
Agency for Wholesale Liquors.....	50 00
Barroom.....	300 00
Druggists.....	50 00
Merchants, Retail.....	150 00
Itinerant Peddlers, temporary residents, per day.....	5 00
Peddling from one horse wagon.....	4 00
Peddling from two horse wagon.....	5 00
Foot Peddler, stock of less than \$25, per day.....	2 00
Foot Peddler, stock of \$25, per day.....	3 00
Storage of Petroleum and other Oils, ex- ceeding five barrels.....	10 00
Petroleum, selling from one horse wagon either at wholesale or retail, to mer- chant or consumers.....	50 00
Petroleum, selling from two horse wagon Cart or dray.....	75 00
One horse wagon.....	3 00
Two horse wagon.....	5 00
Four horse wagon.....	6 00
Astrologers and Fortune Tellers, per day.....	5 00
Bill Posters.....	5 00
Boarding Houses, public.....	10 00
Bowie-knives, Slung Shots, Brass Knucks and Dirk-knives.....	50 00
Brokers.....	10 00
Cigarettes.....	20 00
Eating Houses.....	10 00
Hotels.....	10 00
Junk Shops.....	10 00
Laundries.....	20 00
Livery Stables.....	25 00
Lunch Stands.....	10 00
Pistols.....	5 00
Playing Cards.....	5 00
Real Estate Agents.....	10 00
Restaurants.....	10 00
Stallions for breeding.....	10 00
Scales on Private Property for compensa- tion.....	10 00
Scales upon streets.....	25 00
Owners of drays, carts and wagons are required by law to tack the tags on all vehicles so li- censed. W. E. STALLCUP, Mayor.	

J.H.LAWRENCE,

**Carriage
Manufacturer**

—AND—

General Repairer.

A full supply of Carriage Hardware and Trim-
mings always on hand. All work entrusted to
me will receive my personal attention and guar-
anteed to be first-class. Every article necessary
for carriage and Buggy repairing will be the best
the market affords. Special attention to repair-
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Corner Second and Wall streets, Maysville, Ky.

**BEST
BARGAINS
IN**

**DINNER and
TOILET WARE!**

Lamps, Salids, Cakes, Chops, Jar-
dinieres, and a new line of Fire
Proof Baking Dishes.

See our 5 and 10c. counters.

BROWN'S China Palace,

NO. 40 West Second Street,
Maysville, Ky.

**DON'T
READ THIS**

Unless you want to know where to buy the
best Coal in the city. Also Brick, Lime,
Sand and Salt.

Agents for the celebrated Alabaster Plas-
ter.

Maysville Coal Co.,

COOPER'S OLD STAND.

Phone 142.

DR. LANDMAN

Central Hotel,

January 8, 1903.

PITHY POINTS.

The Monroe doctrine isn't the kind of doctrine
that Republicans favor.

The individual who is seeking to carry the
nation against King Alcohol can't be very far off
the right road.

The lady, the wife of a liquor man, who re-
marked during the holidays that everybody
seemed to be drunk, didn't evince a very favor-
able impression with the fruits of the traffic.

Because Powers and Howard have been given
all the rehearsals for which they have asked
won't make fugitive Taylor of the mind to sue
for similar favors, it is conjectured.

C. Powers ought to have learned at "Sunday
school" that "the way of the transgressor is
hard," and then he might have avoided the
"broadway" that has landed him in his present
predicament.

Carlisle has finished paying for her fire
engine and is practically out of debt.

Rochester CLOTHING!

You have read a great deal about what other merchants
say of Rochester Clothing. Well, it is all true. They do make
good clothing in Rochester, but the merchants fail to tell you
that the best clothes made in Rochester are the

HART, SCHAFNER & MAX CLOTHING

with only one agent in a town. There are people who do bus-
iness with one merchant so long that they really don't know
but one kind of merchandise. To that class we would kindly
ask you to just give us a chance to show you the H. S. & M.
line. You will be agreeably surprised. In fact we will sell
you. To those who do wear it we simply say our stock is
complete. You know the rest. Our Furnishing Goods is com-
plete. See our window for useful Xmas gifts.

J. WESLEY LEE,

THE H. S. & M. MAN.

"When Knighthood Was in Flower."

Effie Ellsler's new play "When Knigh-
thood Was in Flower," which will be seen
at Washington Opera House Wednesday,
January 7th, opens on Mayday, 1513, and
the first picture disclosed is one of Wind-
sor Park. The ancient castle is seen in
the distance, with glimpses of the river.
Mayday festivities are in progress. The
stage is crowded with nobles, maids of
honor and children, and from the depths
of the forest comes the music of hunters'
horns. The court jester and one of the
women in waiting dance the quaint
dances so popular in the opening years
of the reign of Henry. The effect of the
whole scene is to reflect the spirit of
court life at a time when the House of
Tudor was approaching the days of its
greatest power. Seats now on sale at
Nelson's for this play.

"Miltonia" whisky; unrivalled in deli-
cacy, perfect in purity, superior in
strength and unequalled in quality.
M. O. RUSSELL CO.

A special on the Chesapeake and Ohio
railroad a few days ago made the run
from Cincinnati to Huntington, 162 miles,
in three hours, or an average speed of
fifty-four miles an hour.

**The Washington
WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY 7**

Extraordinary Engagement—EFFIE ELLSLER as Mary Tudor in
When Knighthood Was in Flower!

THE ORIGINAL JULIA MARLOW PRODUCTION.

PRICES—First eight rows lower floor \$1.50, rest of lower floor \$1; first three rows of
Balcony 75c., rest of Balcony 50c.; Gallery 25c.

At DAN COHEN'S we have a big lot of Xmas
Slippers yet. What are you going to do about it?
We think you will buy them if you look at them.

W. H. MEANS, Manager